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## STUDENT ASSOCIATION MINUTES

Tuesday, March 19, 1968, the Student Association met for its weekly meeting in the SA Office at 5:30 p.m. Helen was sick, Rick had a track meet and Dr. Gilliam was also absent. Lynn Took notes. Sam Hester led the Council in opening prayer. Dr. Ganus was present.

### BUSINESS

#### Chapel Program

Dr. Ganus was present to discuss chapel programs with the council. Mike suggested that the council wanted improvement in chapel programs, especially devotional-type programs. Dr. Ganus said that the Bible Dept. was in charge of that; Judy corrected him in saying that the Music Dept. handled the songs choice and the Bible Dept. took care of scripture. Mi

Mike suggested that we would like more completely devotional chapels. Dr. Ganus said that they had turned many programs down because of (1) lack of time, and (2) to avoid duplication. Sometimes quality of presentations is sacrificed to make room for variety.

Mike--How can we eliminate programs that (1) aren't needful, and are (2) ill-planned? We would also like to have more student speeches, but it is hard to get them on the schedule.

Dr. Ganus then gave a list of the specific future scheduled programs and dates presently open for programs.

Dave--We would like to find a way to encourage some faculty members to speak in chapel, since they were reluctant to speak before such a critical group.

Dr. Ganus--It is a most difficult audience. The only way to get them to want to speak is get rid of critical attitude, but this is impossible.

Mike--In the future could the Pres. notify SA Pres. of the open dates for student speakers?

Gailyn--SA Pres. should speak at beginning of the year on a religious topic.

Judy--Scheduling is a problem during the summer school programs.

Dr. Ganus--Scheduling takes place in my office, any time, for school or or summer school.

Mike--Would it be possible to have the SA Pres to speak early in the year next year, for he can set the tone for the year. Dr. Ganus said it could be worked out.

David--Dr. Ganus, your chapel speech on financial statement was well-received.

Dr. Ganus--"It is easy to criticize...but not that simple to solve...."  
"It is hard to find programs, both quantity and quality, that everyone likes."

#### Earbook

Roy Terry brought in some pictures for the Earbook II cover to be approved. They were approved.



### Emerald Room Policy

The new Emerald Room Policy was read and approved, after some minor changes. It was discussed that students wishing to reserve the Emerald Room should be required to pay a fee. Sammy moved that a \$3 fee be charged, David seconded it, and the motion carried. The policy was to go into effect starting April 1.

### Senator McClellan

Senator McClellan was coming to speak for the Freedom Forum, April 18. The SA was asked to promote it. Ronnie said that the Senator had been invited as well by Am. Studies, and the SA. It was decided that the SA would publicize his visit to get students to attend, as long as it was clear that the SA was not supporting any specific organizations on campus.

### Suggestion Box

Richard suggested that the secretary make a list of the suggestions turned in and the SA will work on them as each person can and make replies to them as they come in. The following method was suggested and approved:

- (1) Answer question or suggestion as soon as turned in.
- (2) Make a list of suggestions (done by secretary).
- (3) Suggestion discussed during meetings when have time.
- (4) Answered as soon as possible by a representative.

### Library Hours

A suggestion was made to have library hours extended to Sunday nights. It was said that operating costs would be too much.

David--This is an educational institution. Don't worry about costs, but do worry about studies. So many students are gone on weekends, returning on Sunday nights. The recommendation should include these points:

- (1) Preachers, debators, Athletes, those working--these need the library on Sunday nights. (Also those going home on weekends.)
- (2) Sat. activities interfere with library time.
- (3) Dormitories are the noisiest on Sun. night, next to Friday night.
- (4) In an academic institution, service is important, no cost.
- (5) It is impossible to use reserve materials in the short time on Sunday afternoons.

Ronnie--suggested closing library on Sat. morning if it has to be closed sometime to be opened on Sun. night.

It was suggested that since classes had been changed to Mon-Fri., study habits are different from those the students had when there were Tues.-Sat. classes.

### Insight Out

Those who haven't been scheduled for Insight Out: Gailyn, Mary K., Lynn, Carol, and Judy.

### Size of Clubs

Ronnie reported on this. The Pro's and Con's we mentioned last meeting.

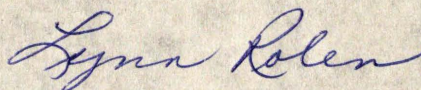
The members of SA were to work on the following for the next meeting;



- (1) Choice '68--get radio time for advertisement.
- (2) Chapel Announcement.
- (3) Convention where people can speak out for their candidates.

The meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,



Lynn Rolen, Jr. Rep.